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# DEPT. OF INSURANCE

Docket No. 96A-220-INS

**ORDER** 

#### DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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5 6 In the Matter of the Withdrawal of:

Petitioner.

SOUTHWEST CONSOLIDATED LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY (NAIC No. 72176),

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On December 20, 1996, the Office of Administrative Hearings, through Administrative Law Judge Richard N. Blair, submitted "Recommended Decision of Administrative Law Judge" ("Recommended Decision"), a copy of which is attached and incorporated by this reference. The Director of the Arizona Department of Insurance has reviewed the Recommended Decision and enters the following order:

- The recommended findings of fact and conclusions of law are adopted. 1.
- 2. The Petitioner may file its Articles of Dissolution with the Arizona Corporation Commission.
- 3. The Petitioner is entitled to the release of its statutory deposit in the sum of \$116,000.00 and that the statutory deposit will be released to the Petitioner after the Department has received the following: (a) a copy of Petitioner's Articles of Dissolution certified as filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission; and (v) a fully executed Form E126 (Notice of Trust Deposit

1	Release). The statutory deposit will not be released until the Department receives a fully executed copy
2	of the official State Treasurer Release Receipt.
3	4. The sum of \$100.00 previously credited to the Insurance Examiners' Revolving
4	Fund will be refunded to the Petitioner, pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-159.
5	5. The Petitioner will file its 1996 Annual Statement with the Department, together
6	with all applicable fees, unless Petitioner files its Articles of Dissolution with the Arizona Corporation on
7	or before December 31, 1996.
8	NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS
9	The aggrieved party may request a rehearing with respect to this Order by filing a written
10	petition with the Office of Administrative Hearings within 30 days of the date of this Order, setting forth
11	the basis for such relief pursuant to A.A.C. R20-6-114(B).
12	The final decision of the Director may be appealed to the Superior Court of Maricopa
13	County for judicial review pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-166.
14	EFFECTIVE this 24 day of, 1996
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16	John King
17	John King Director of Insurance
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1	A copy of the foregoing mailed this alped day of Necessian, 1996
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## IN THE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Withdrawal of:

No. 96A-220-INS

## SOUTHWEST CONSOLIDATED LIFE **INSURANCE COMPANY**

(NAIC. No. 72176),

RECOMMENDED DECISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

Petitioner.

HEARING: December 20, 1996

APPEARANCES: Steve Henry, Esq., appeared on behalf of Southwest Consolidated Life Insurance Company, Petitioner; and Kurt Regner appeared on behalf of the Arizona Department of Insurance.

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE: Richard N. Blair

Based upon the entire record, the following recommended Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommended Order are made:

## FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- The Petitioner has surrendered its Certificate of Authority to the Arizona 1. Department of Insurance (the "Department").
- The Petitioner has filed with the Department certified copies of 2. Resolutions of the Petitioner's Board of Directors and of the Petitioner's sole shareholder authorizing Petitioner to withdraw from the insurance business by dissolution. The Petitioner has no insurance obligations owing to it, whether by policies written direct or by reinsurance ceded to it.
- The Petitioner has filed its certified financial statement as of September 30, 1996 with the Department.

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- 4. At least 10 business days before the hearing of this matter, Petitioner gave special notice to creditors and policyholders of the Petitioner, setting forth the date, place, nature and purpose of the hearing, as evidenced by the affidavit of publication. Petitioner also certified that it has no creditors in the State of Arizona and has no remaining obligations or liabilities in the State of Arizona.
- 5. The Petitioner has a \$116,000.00 statutory deposit with the Department and a \$100.00 deposit with the Insurance Examiners' Revolving Fund ("IERF").
- 6. The Petitioner has complied with the provisions of A.R.S. §20-588 and with A.A.C. R20-6-303, relating to the release of its \$116,000.00 statutory deposit.

#### RECOMMENDED ORDER

The undersigned Administrative Law Judge recommends that:

- The Petitioner may file its Articles of Dissolution with the Arizona Corporation Commission.
- 2. The Petitioner is entitled to the release of its statutory deposit in the sum of \$116,000.00 and that the statutory deposit shall be released to the Petitioner after the Department has received the following: (a) a copy of Petitioner's Articles of Dissolution certified as filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission; and (b) a fully executed Form E126 (Notice of Trust Deposit Release). The statutory deposit cannot be released until the Department receives a fully executed copy of the official State Treasurer Release Receipt.
- 3. The sum of \$100.00 previously credited to the IERF be refunded to the Petitioner, pursuant to A.R.S. §20-159.

4. The Petitioner file its 1996 Annual Statement with the Department, together with all applicable fees, unless Petitioner files its Articles of Dissolution with the Arizona Corporation Commission on or before December 31, 1996

Done this day, December 20, 1996

Richard N. Blair Administrative Law Judge

Gopy transmitted by mail December 1996

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